

CONFIDENTIAL RECORD SHEET
REGISTRATION SERVICE
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

DATE: 5/25/89

FULL NAME Mark Lurz
(No initials if you can possibly get full name)

S.S. NO. _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY Lo-Folk STATE CA ZIP CODE 68761

DATE OF BIRTH 7/51 (This is important and should be exact)

APPROXIMATE AGE 38 (To be used ONLY when date of birth is not known)

RELIGION _____ NATIONALITY (Citizen of) USA

OCCUPATION Nucor Steel, Division of Nucor Corporation, Manager

EDUCATION High School Graduate, maybe some community college

WEIGHT 175 HEIGHT 5'10" RACE Caucasian

COLOR OF HAIR Brown COLOR OF EYES Brown?

ANY DISTINGUISHING PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS wears glasses

HOBBIES OR SPECIAL INTERESTS Scouts

RE MARRIED SINGLE NAME OF SPOUSE _____

CHILDREN 1 boy & 1 girl for sure
(Name, number, ages, if possible)

SCOUTING CONNECTIONS:

UNIT # 124 CITY Lo-Folk STATE CA POSITION C-1 DATE REGISTERED (Ldr #083695) DATE RESIGNED 6/26/89

Chartered Organization First Christian Church

SPECIAL RECOGNITION BSA Training and local Scout recognition

INCIDENT: TYPE 2 DATE OF INCIDENT _____
Type RESOLUTION _____

1=Scout Related
2=Non-scout related
3=homosexual (not specifically with youth)

1-1. Internal (only Scouts Know)
2. Criminal action
3-3. Court action
4. Probationary status
5. Reported to state agency

Check off list of attached documentation

NOTED

1. Description of incident
2. Victim(s) statement
3. media reports JUL 17 1989
4. Legal proceedings
5. Offender's statement
6. Official notification of termination
7. Found guilty/innocent by court

Council Mid. America

Signed _____

Allen
SCOUT EXECUTIVE

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Allen
JUL 12 1989

F. STARON

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WATS CALL FORM

CALL BACK REQUESTED _____

COUNCIL # 326

PHONE NO:

On-Line _____ Batch _____

CALLER: LAZLY OTTO

POSITION: S.E.

TYPE OF PROBLEM

REGISTRATION _____

VETERANS _____

DEBIT _____

CREDIT _____

PROGRAM CODE

& UNIT #

RENEWAL DATE

TRANSMITTAL #

ID #

FILM #

C31248/4 7/81003695Hank W. FURZ Norfolk, NECM CommissionerSEXUALLY MOLESTED YOUTH IN 1985SOLUTION: INFO TO CASE

Added to CR file per
 Added to 28m, 28y
 Re-Added to 11/19/89
 b1 CM

NAME RenstDATE 5-15-89

TIME _____

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CONF010480

July 21, 1989

Mr. Lawrence Otto
Scout Executive
Mid-America Council, No. 325

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: HAWK V. LTRZ
READY FOR FILE

JUL 13 1989

Dear Larry:

JULIE EATON

Thank you for the detailed information sent concerning the above Scouter. This case has been reviewed with our attorney and is now on our permanent Confidential File.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director
Registration Service

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cc: North Central Region

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June 21, 1960

Mr. Lawrence Otto
Scout Executive
Mid-America Council, No. 325

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: MARK W. LURZ

Dear Larry:

Thank you for the complete material which you recently sent on the above named individual. This is most helpful to us in establishing a file.

I would like to have a Confidential Record Sheet completed with all the information you have available. A form is enclosed for your use in this matter.

Thanks again for your help in protecting the youth of America.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director
Registration Service

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Enclosure

cc: North Central Region

CONF010482

MID-AMERICA COUNCIL519 South 15th Street
Omaha, Nebraska 68102

June 15, 1989

Mr. Hank W. Lurz

[REDACTED]
Norfolk, NE 68701

Dear Mr. Lurz:

After careful review, we have decided that your registration with the Boy Scouts of America should not be accepted. We are therefore compelled to request that you sever any relations that you may have with the Boy Scouts of America. A refund of your registration fee will be granted.

You should understand that BSA membership registration is a privilege and is not automatically granted to everyone who applies. We reserve the right to refuse registration whenever there is a concern that an individual may not meet the high standards of membership which the BSA seeks to provide for American youth.

If you wish to have this decision reviewed by a council review committee, please write to me within 60 days of the date of this letter, explaining your version of the facts supporting your claim that your registration as a BSA member should be reinstated. The procedures for a review of this decision are attached.

Sincerely,

Lawrence L. Otto

Scout Executive

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attachment

cc: Thomas J. Skutt, Council President
John K. Boyer, Council Vice President, Legal
Paul I. Ernst, Registration

RITA OLBERDING

CERTIFIED COURT REPORTER

Ninth Judicial District

1305 Nebraska Avenue
NORFOLK, NEBRASKA 68701

RES. 402 371-3281
OFF. 402 454-3311

June 2, 1986

RE: [REDACTED]

Case NO. 19662, Madison County District Court

The following is the Court Order entered in the above-captioned matter on Friday, May 30, 1986:

"I will address the stipulation for modification. The stipulation for modification indicates a material change of circumstances has occurred and I find specifically that a material change of circumstances has occurred concerning the minor child [REDACTED] as a result of the admitted sexual contacts of the respondent with [REDACTED], and that it is in the best interests of the minor child [REDACTED] that her custody be placed with the petitioner subject to such visitation as [REDACTED] will consent to have with the respondent.

Insofar as child support is concerned, I frankly don't understand why the respondent hasn't been providing support for [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] needs have gone on since [REDACTED] moved back with her mother, her needs for food, clothing, medical, all of those needs have gone on and that burden has been on the petitioner to furnish those needs and a needs has been shown for \$150.00 a month. So, I will order that the child support for [REDACTED] be fixed at \$150.00 per month commencing June 1, with a like sum payable on the first day of each month thereafter until said child attains the age of majority, becomes self-supporting, emancipated or until further order of the court. Mr. Lurz has the income, he has the ability to support the child, he has the duty to support the child, and that duty will be met. In addition thereto, the respondent shall pay such reasonable and necessary counseling expenses as may be incurred by the minor child during her period of minority in an effort to help the child overcome the problems that she is now encountering as a result of the sexual contact with her father. I am not going to order the [REDACTED] go to counseling. It will have

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to be voluntary on her part. If she chooses to go to counseling, her father will pay for it. If she chooses not to go to counseling there will be no costs incurred.

"I make this order concerning visitation with [REDACTED] based upon the reports of the professionals from Monroe Mental Health Center. And, I make the counseling voluntary on her part because of Dr. Sturgis' comment that 'It is likely that she would respond in a hostile manner to attempts to have her become involved in counseling.'

"The order previously entered modifying the decree under the date of June 4, 1984 is hereby modified to provide that the custody of [REDACTED] be placed with the petitioner as previously announced, and for the child support as previously announced.

"The only issue before this court was [REDACTED]. The stipulation attempts to go further and attempts to delineate visitation. The original decree provides for reasonable rights of visitation, including [REDACTED] not limited to one month visitation during the summer and that, I don't believe, has been modified. I am not inclined to alter the visitation at this time. I am greatly concerned, after reviewing the psychological evaluation from Monroe Mental Health Center. The report of the psychological evaluation states, and I am taking parts of it, 'In general he is a well-adjusted individual. He is not in any way psychotic. His behavioral difficulties tend to arise from characterological defects.' Going on down, 'He is often behaviorally immature and narcissistic. He behaves impulsively and strives for immediate gratification of his impulses. He has a limited ability to tolerate frustration and will impulsively behave in ways that are not well-planned or given consideration for the possible consequences. In addition, he seems unable to profit from his experience and will often behave in ways in the future even though they have caused him trouble in the past.' 'While he will temporarily voice remorse, guilt, and contrition following the acting out behavior it is unlikely that he will inhibit himself in future episodes if he is again placed in similar stressful situations.' 'His relations with others are characteristically shallow and superficial. He tends to view others in terms of how they can be used to his advantage.'

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"Under recommendations, 'While the client seems contrite and determined to refrain from such behavior in the future, it is likely that when placed in a similarly stressful situation, he might commit such acts again. Like alcoholism, incest is a chronic behavior. This man has the impulse to commit incest and they are likely to remain with him for life.' 'In summary, it is difficult to state categorically whether or not this man will again commit the offense of incest.'

"I am not placing the children overnight with an individual with this kind of a report from a professional psychologist, and I am not going to modify the decree. I would entertain an application for modification of decree or strike the one month visitation in the summer. I think one should be filed and a temporary order should be sought for that modification purpose. This is an issue that needs to have a full and complete trial based upon competent evidence with reasonable psychiatric certainty. We have already had one child damaged by the actions of this individual and there is no point in having other children damaged. If I am going to err, I am going to err on the side of the children.

"So, I am going to disapprove the stipulation concerning specific visitation based upon the evidence, and based upon the fact that such relief was not requested in the original application for modification.

"As far as the Guardian Ad Litem's fees are concerned, I think the Guardian Ad Litem was an absolute necessity in this case. I will order that he be compensated at the usual rate of \$35.00 per hour and together with expenses which is a total of \$431.58. I will order that the costs of the Guardian Ad Litem be taxed to the respondent. The respondent's actions has brought this whole thing about. I will reserve ruling on attorney fees until an evidentiary hearing can be had on an application for attorney fees by the petitioner's counsel.

"I will ask [redacted] to journalize. We are adjourned."

Very truly yours,

[redacted]
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August 23, 1985

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AUG 29 1985

The Honorable James J. Duggan
Madison County Court
Madison, NE 68748

RE: [REDACTED]

Dear Judge Duggan:

In accordance with your court order dated July 10, 1985, the above-named girl was seen by me for evaluation on August 13, 1985. The evaluation consisted of an interview and the administration of a battery of psychological tests. I will summarize my findings and conclusions below.

[REDACTED] is an attractive girl with short brown hair and brown eyes. She arrived on time for the evaluation and was appropriately dressed and groomed. During the interview, she was very poised, matter-of-fact and cool, behaving in a manner more reminiscent of someone several years older than age sixteen. However, when it came time to take the battery of psychological tests - which were explained to her as a routine part of the evaluation - she became extremely hostile, tearful, and virtually threw a minor tantrum. In fact, she phoned her stepfather and complained about what was being "done to her." Apparently, he told her to continue with the evaluation which she did. She completed all tests very quickly, but apparently in a valid manner, while continuing to be very hostile to the receptionists at the front desk, even to the point of using foul language.

[REDACTED] is now living with her mother, stepfather, and younger brothers and sisters. She has been in their custody since April of this year. Prior to that, she had been living with her natural father, for about a year and a half. It was just recently that he disclosed the prior sexual abuse.

[REDACTED] indicated that the sexual abuse started when she was thirteen years old. It began by his "bumping into her" and touching her breasts and genital area. It progressed to his fondling her breasts and vaginal area,

and he would sometimes be naked in front of her. He requested that she touch him sexually on some occasions which she refused to do. According to [redacted], his explanation for his behavior is that it was helping him get through divorcing her mother. Oftentimes, he would promise that it would no longer occur. According to [redacted], the sexual abuse happened between twenty-five and thirty times over a period of three months, once or twice a week. It stopped when he moved out of the home. When [redacted] would visit him, he would apologize and indicate that it would never happen again which it never did. [redacted] is concerned that it will be repeated with her younger sister.

[redacted] explanation of the sexual abuse was that her father was under stress because of the divorce and also because of attempting to start a business with her mother. She also felt that her beginning to mature somehow "triggered" the sexual abuse.

At the present time, [redacted] is extremely angry with her father, not only for the sexual abuse, but in her perception, his turning her against her mother. Apparently, she and her mother were having difficulty getting along and she requested to go live with him. She feels she is getting along much better with her mother now. She never mentioned the sexual abuse because she was afraid of court and the consequences of her telling. She was not sure what her mother would do about it.

At the present time, [redacted] will be going into the eleventh grade. She indicated she has done quite well in school and carries a 95.9 grade average. She wants to become an accountant and plans to go to Lincoln School of Commerce for further training after high school.

This girl is functioning in at least the average range of intelligence. Taking into account the speed with which she completed the evaluation instruments, it is likely that this is an underestimate of her ability. She has a good balance between verbal facility and abstract problem solving skills. Her personality is marked by a tendency to see things in a naive and uninsightful manner. She would rather deny problems than to face them and has rather rigid notions of how things should be. When they do not go her way, she becomes angry and upset. An example of this was her behavior when faced with the testing situation. A primary characteristic of this young woman is her anxious conformity to the expectations of others, particularly family and authority, and her defensiveness about admitting psychological problems. Beneath her controlled facade and pseudo poise, are marked feelings of personal insecurity and low self-esteem. She sees herself as functioning fairly well, but is insecure particularly around her peers. Because she fears making mistakes and taking risks, she may tend to narrow her activities to things she is familiar with. Her angry and hostile feelings will occasionally break through the surface as she tends to gloss over chronic feelings of hostility and resentment, particularly towards her father. She would just as soon forget it rather than deal with it. As angry as she feels with her father, it appears that she feels some responsibility and guilt for the sexual abuse, as she has linked it with her own maturation.

August 23, 1985

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At the present time, [redacted] indicated that she feels no need for any counseling or therapy. It is likely that she would respond in a hostile manner to attempts to have her become involved in counseling. However, there are issues that she does need to deal with at sometime. She is very angry with her father for the sexual abuse and this chronic and unexpressed anger is being repressed for the most part. Also, she experiences some feelings of guilt and uncertainty about what occurred to her along with a serious breach of trust by the most important male in her life at that time. These are all issues that will need to be addressed at some point in time. Whether she would be willing to deal with them now is in serious doubt.

I hope this information will be helpful to you. If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Barbara J. Sturgis

Barbara J. Sturgis, Ph.D.
Clinical Psychologist

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